

House _____ Amendment NO. _____

Offered By _____

1 AMEND House Bill No. 42, Pages 1 and 2, Sections 161.091 and 167.131, by removing all of said sections
2 from the bill and inserting in lieu thereof the following:
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4 "162.1305. 1. For purposes of this section, "transient student" means any student who transfers from
5 one district or local education agency to another district or local education agency two or more times in one
6 school year.

7 2. In the first year of attendance in a district, a transient student's score on a statewide assessment
8 shall not be included when calculating the status or progress scores on the district's annual performance report
9 scores. The statewide assessment scores for any transient student in the first year of attendance in a district
10 shall be counted for growth scores from the previous year's assessment for the purpose of the district's annual
11 performance report score and to serve as the baseline for growth in the next year's assessment.

12 3. In the second year of attendance, a transient student's score on a statewide assessment shall be
13 weighted at fifty percent when calculating the district's performance for purposes of the district's annual
14 performance report status or progress score, with growth counting for fifty percent.

15 4. In the third year of attendance and in any subsequent year of attendance, a transient student's
16 status, progress, and growth score shall be weighted at one hundred percent when calculating the district's
17 performance for purposes of the district's annual performance report score.

18 167.131. 1. The board of education of each district in this state that does not maintain [an accredited]
19 a high school [pursuant to the authority of the state board of education to classify schools as established in
20 section 161.092] offering work through the twelfth grade shall pay [the] tuition [of] as calculated by the
21 receiving district under subsection 2 of this section and provide transportation consistent with the provisions
22 of section 167.241 for each pupil resident therein who has completed the work of the highest grade offered in
23 the schools of the district and who attends an accredited public high school in another district of the same or
24 an adjoining county.

25 2. The rate of tuition to be charged by the district attended and paid by the sending district is the per
26 pupil cost of maintaining the district's grade level grouping which includes the school attended. The cost of
27 maintaining a grade level grouping shall be determined by the board of education of the district but in no case
28 shall it exceed all amounts spent for teachers' wages, incidental purposes, debt service, maintenance and
29 replacements. The term "debt service", as used in this section, means expenditures for the retirement of
30 bonded indebtedness and expenditures for interest on bonded indebtedness. Per pupil cost of the grade level
31 grouping shall be determined by dividing the cost of maintaining the grade level grouping by the average
32 daily pupil attendance. If there is disagreement as to the amount of tuition to be paid, the facts shall be
33 submitted to the state board of education, and its decision in the matter shall be final. Subject to the
34 limitations of this section, each pupil shall be free to attend the public school of his or her choice."; and
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36 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

Action Taken _____ Date _____